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ORDINANCE NO. 48-558

AN ORDINANCE DETERMINING THE NECESSITY FOR ACQUIRING FLEET VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT, AND PROVIDING THAT THE COST OF SAID ACQUISITION SHALL BE PAID BY THE CITY OF WICHITA, KANSAS, AT LARGE THROUGH THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS OF THE CITY OF WICHITA, KANSAS, UNDER THE CITY'S HOME RULE AUTHORITY AS SET OUT IN ARTICLE 12, SECTION 5, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS.

WHEREAS, Article 12, Section 5, of the Constitution of the State of Kansas empowers cities to determine their local affairs by ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the City of Wichita, Kansas, has determined that it is necessary and in the public interest to acquire fleet vehicles and equipment to replace vehicles and equipment that are outdated or inoperable and cannot be repaired; and

WHEREAS, the amount of general obligation bonds issued in connection with such acquisitions shall not exceed the sum of \$2,738,000.00, exclusive of the costs of interest on borrowed money.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WICHITA, KANSAS:

SECTION 1. The governing body of the City of Wichita, Kansas, hereby determines that it is necessary and declares its intention to acquire new fleet vehicles and equipment to replace vehicles and equipment that are outdated or inoperable and cannot reasonable be repaired, such equipment to be used primarily by the Parks and Public Works Departments.

SECTION 2. The cost of the fleet equipment is an amount not to exceed the sum of \$2,738,000, exclusive of the costs of interest on borrowed money, and all or part of such cost shall be paid by the City of Wichita, Kansas, at large by the issuance of general obligation bonds under the City's home rule authority under Article 12, Sections 5 of the Constitution of the State of Kansas.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall be effective upon its passage and publication once in the official City paper.

ADOPTED at Wichita, Kansas, this _____ day of _____, 2009.

Carl Brewer, Mayor

ATTEST:

Karen Sublett, City Clerk

Approved as to Form:

Gary E. Rebenstorf
Director of Law and City Attorney